

# The Belle Glade Herald

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## News From Your TOWN HALL

How do you think the parking meters are working out?

Before you say just think how easy it is to get a parking place where the meters are located. Before they were installed you could hardly park your car in the business section; now, you can almost always find one.

I don't know how many others got caught, but I was the first quarter customer the City had. I parked, knowing I must put a nickel in; but when I went into the drug store to get the nickel, I became involved in some discussion and forgot. Consequently, a red tag and a quarter for the City.

There's a lot of subdividing going on in the Community and a lot more planned. There would be an unbelievable number of homes built if materials were available. Some day it will get under way.

We understand there is some activity to acquaint the City Fathers with the opinion of a section of the public about a City Manager. We are quite sure there is a large majority of the taxpayers in favor of it.

## Wells and Lyons Plan On A Modern Hotel Project

More than ever this season the business men pressed home that Belle Glade most needed service is a modern hotel. Hundreds of people have sought hospice here, but had to go elsewhere because there were no hotel accommodations. Several promotional plans for a hotel have been published, and they will go on. One which has materialized to proceed with such accommodation project.

However, this week, Arthur Wells and Wendell Lyons well known business men, well able to carry out the project announced that they now have architects plans for a hotel with a view to lessening a portion of the demand for high type hotel accommodations, if all plans work out as they hope they will.

The new hotel if erected will occupy the former Holloway home and office site owned by Wells and Lyons for their business needs, which faces the city park on south Main

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## Palm Beach County Is Heading For A New Produce Record

R. U. Mounts, county farm agent, has sent out from his office in West Palm Beach, forms for farm subsidy aids for the year 1946, and same must be fully signed and deposited at his office by March 1st if farmers expect to participate in the new price benefits. The program includes planting of pasture lands to be planted to summer legumes.

Natural cover crops or planting of Egyptian wheat is no longer included in the subsidy program. While Egyptian wheat is recognized as a good crop to grow in the Glades, owing to objections from Texas and Oklahoma, the Federal Department of Agriculture has eliminated it this season throughout all growing sections.

Agent Mounts also states that the newly discovered tomato rust, came in recently in the west, southeast coast and in portions of the Glades, and is a serious menace. But by prompt care of seed bed and applications of insecticides and fungicide applications, that it can be killed and prevented from ravaging the fields.

Mounts is also reported to predict that the frost or torrential rains experienced with a good spring crop, that the shipping record of 1944-45 will be broken and surpassed. Records in his office lead him to believe that at least 25 to 30 percent of the vegetables moved out of the county are going by truck, which is a high yield.

## Georgia Men To Locate Laundry Here

Shelly Connell has sold a tract of land on Avenue E, to three business men from Albany, Ga., who have plans of erecting and equipping a modern steam laundry and dry cleaning plant. They plan to enter the laundry business in the large scale, serving the entire Glades area, and will operate a number of collecting and delivery trucks. The promoters of the new industry are now arranging for their building materials for their building plant.

## Cherry Enrolls At College

Joe Cherry, Jr., Horace Harris and George Wedgeworth, who made a trip to Auburn, University at Auburn, Ala., the past week en route very much pleased with their inspection and the hospitalities extended. As a result of the visit, Cherry matriculated as a student for the fall semester and will leave for that school in September. It is understood that Wedgeworth may be heading for the University of Michigan for his collegiate work.

## Scientist Forstalled Much Shipment In World War

While a week end guest of Dr. and Mrs. R. V. Allison, at the experimental station, a number of the people called to pay their respects and become acquainted with the noted soil expert, Dr. Selman A. Waksman, of Rutgers College in New Jersey.

To be seated in his company and hear the discussion of soils, moulds and chemical combinations that he has equalled in education. The good doctor has made soil his life work and he stands high in the ranks of that particular profession.

In his conversation, Dr. Waksman spoke of trips he had made to Europe before the war, and at that time he made the statement that Germany was then preparing secretly for her disastrous attack and campaign.

While in Germany he found the country had extensive muck and manure muck deposits, from which muck was being shipped to the States in large quantities, for use in raising

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## Sugar Corporation Explains Plans For Building Help

Clewiston, Feb. 21 (FNS)—A unique plan to help combat the national housing shortage by encouraging employee home building as rapidly as materials allow has just been put into effect by the United States Sugar Corporation, which has arranged to finance the results of employees' homes within the next five years without danger of loss to the owner.

The company has arranged with its subsidiary, the Clewiston Realty Corporation, to purchase the homes at actual cost

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## Motor Lines Consolidated

The Florida Motor Lines, which have for years operated its buses over Florida, have been transferred to the ownership of the Florida Greyhound Lines, Inc. The negotiations for such a change have been before the State Railway Commission for some time, and have just been approved.

## Farmers Watch Anxiously During Full Moon Period

### National Convention Accepts Invitation of Glades Distributors

These farmers down here are watching the moon these days, at least until it gets past the full stage, for that is when those telling and killing frosts usually occur. If one more full moon period comes, then the fear from frost will be passed.

Prices as given on local commodities in the Inter-State Market News, of Wednesday, gives Net News, of Wednesday, are as follows: Cabbage, 50 lb. sack high, \$1.35-1.50; celery from \$2 to \$3, grades covering wide range of prices.

Tomato shipments north thru state gateway stations for the first three days of the week were: Beans, 40,348 bushels; Lima, 1600 bushels; cabbage, 1,604,588 pounds; celery, 6,810 crates; potatoes, 2,069 sacks; tomatoes, 18,811 crates.

While packers did not seem to be very busy the past week, car shipments show a movement of 505 cars, bringing the season total up to 5,769. Celery in the south end lead with 176 cars, cabbage next with 137 and 75 loads of mixed vegetables.

The Belle Glade Canning Company, which did little packing on the fall crop, is now ready to get into operation for what is hoped will be a good spring crop. The company in the past, largely consigned its packing products to the government, but this spring, most of its output will be handled by the local packing done this spring, but next year, plans are made for a general canning of vegetables securable in quantity.

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## Farmers Not Protected In Labor Contracts

Farming here in the Glades is not without its drawbacks and not the least of the headaches is the labor question and their wage.

This week the Farm Bureau Extension office received copies of the new labor contracts which the Government expects farmers to sign, if they want to secure any of the Bahamian and Jamaican laborers, for the United States Sugar Corporation, which has arranged to finance the results of employees' homes within the next five years without danger of loss to the owner.

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## Gets Salty Sentence

Arthur Lee Jones, Jr., negro, who carved up his paramour with a knife last April, pleaded guilty with intent to assault with intent to commit manslaughter in criminal court, Wednesday. Judge Newell declared state could use him as a laborer for the next seven years, and headed him toward Raiford.

## Ladies' Night At Community Church A Big Success

Ladies night at the Community Methodist Church, under the auspices of the Laymen's club, proved to be a huge success, not only from the attendance, but from the entertainment standpoint as well. Sixty or more guests partook of the sumptuous and appetizing pot-luck meal, and if that was not luck, wonder what a banquet would be like?

The special guests of the evening were Rev. and Mrs. Clinton Cottrell, son of the former pastor of the First Methodist Church of West Palm Beach. This noted minister is much in demand as a social club, and it was with pleasure all listened to his message of the hour, which he entitled "Conditions of the World Today."

His remarks were well received, and he held

that civilization was heading to annihilation, unless trends were checked and stopped. He held that the only method to do this was for all to return to the Christian religion of our forefathers, and we again live as our fathers did.

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## Will Extend Effort To Secure Vocational School

### Annual Meeting Of C. O. C. Will Be Held In March

The Glades section should have and is entitled to a vocational school, according to Principal Frank O. Hobson of the Glades High School, presently the subject of the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce at their meeting Monday night.

Prof. Hobson presented the question, stating that there were high school boys who would rather work than go to school, and that many veterans who would like industrial training, and that at least a hundred or more boys and men could be found willing to enter and work on courses as prescribed. That there was plenty of available war equipment available to equip a vocational school, and that there was no reason why the Glades section should not have a vocational school.

The Chamber concurred in the suggestion of the schoolmaster, and with other organizations by the Glades section, a similar plan, will set the wheels in motion so that such a school will materialize in the very near future. Such a school would be of great value to the Glades area.

The Chamber directors strongly endorsed the City Manager project for the City

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The Quality store operated on E street, by the Wilkinson Brothers, was burglarized shortly after 9 o'clock Saturday night, and within nine hours the perpetrator was apprehended and identified as John G. Lewis, 21, of Lake Worth. The rubber took with him groceries, meats and 21 cartons of cigarettes.

George Bean, colored, was the entrant, and was arrested by local policeman, after being fingerprinted, decided that he would confess the robbery and tell his story, and even took the officers to the carnie where he had hidden the cigarettes.

For the same price he will be occupying their fine home, which is spacious and most attractive on the interior.

In addition to the home, J. K. Baker has been granted an independent unit from the Glades.

Entitled, "Tapping the Everglades: Nature's Great Empire," the article points out:

"Tremendous as has been the development of the Everglades in the last decade, the possibilities

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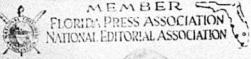
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## When a Strike Becomes Rebellion

The British government intends to assume ownership and management of all British coal mines during the next six months. One American newspaper describes the action as "Britain's most significant advance on the road to socialism during the first year of the labor regime."

In the comment that will arise over the elimination of coal as a private enterprise in England, the usual remarks will be heard that the men in the mines will never know the difference. True, the British coal miner will continue to get his pay, and for a time he may not be conscious of the change in his status. But eventually it will be borne home to him that he is an employee of government, in a land which is setting government up as a master instead of a servant.

The latter significant point should not be overlooked by those persons who continually point to government employees in this country as proof that merely working for government does not mean slavery. Our government is still the servant. As an employer, it is still a comparatively minor influence. However, add to its payroll every American coal miner, and the picture would become grimly different. Our government, too, would be well on the way to becoming a master.

What would happen under the new "labor" government in England if a John Lewis decided to break the coal mine operators unless their demands were met? What would happen if union organizers decided to take over management's job by enrolling foremen into the union, not hesitating to resort to strike violence to gain their objective. In England this would be none other than rebellion. The violence would be against government rather than a recalcitrant private employer. It would be put down ruthlessly.

Fortunately in our country the coal industry remains in private hands. The miners can strike. They can exploit their grievances without being cast in the role of fighting against government. They can do this only so long as the independence of private industry is retained.

## Every Family Interested

Just a short decade ago, the political and economic problems of the citizens of every state were primarily local instead of national. Today the problems most deeply affecting every citizen are national rather than local. One of the greatest national problems in which every family is interested, is our future military program.

Just as we have allowed centralized government to absorb many of the functions of local government, so are we asked to favor one central authority for our Army, Navy and Air Forces, thus eliminating the individuality of each and the inspiration of competition.

Germany was the greatest exponent of a centralized military organization. Italy was an advocate of the same idea. France, at different times, followed similar policies.

This was demonstrated that the United States can have a unified command of the various branches of its armed services in a national emergency, without having a military dictator in times of peace. There is need for haste in perfecting our military machine, but granting peacetime centralized military control over the three branches of our armed services must have the fullest consideration.

Assistant Secretary of the Navy H. Struve Hensel said, in the New York Times of November 22, 1945, "National security . . . is too large to be encompassed in any single organization. Even its military aspects are too diverse and too huge to be rolled into one great mass or to be effectively controlled by some super-holding company."

If we retain our place as a nation of democratic ideals under the flag of a republic, we need less, not more centralized government, and we must maintain military preparedness within the framework of our ideals of freedom.

## Faith Justified

Transcontinental air mail service has passed its twenty-fifth anniversary. Since September, 1920, when the first trip was completed, 4,000,000 passengers have been carried over the original transcontinental air trail, along with 125,000,000 pounds of mail and 177,600,000 pounds of cargo.

One of the pioneer steps in the development of the present day air transport industry was the inauguration of air express. The Railway Express Agency was one of the first to show faith in the new form of transport. It created an air express division and encouraged the expansion of shipment by air. Its thousands of off-airline offices are as ready to accept air express parcels as they are any other kind. Such packages are moved by the fastest method to the nearest air terminal and transferred to planes.

But the growth of the past will be dwarfed by what is to come in the future. The entire history of express is based on the principle of taking the property of shippers into personal custody for de-



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## "Cheap" Money, High Prices

IT IS A COMMON OCCURRENCE TO HEAR PERSONS RECOLL WITH A MUTTERED CURSE AT THE "OUTRAGEOUS" PRICES THEY ARE ASKED TO PAY FOR SCORES OF NECESSITIES AND LUXURIES. GENERALLY THEIR MINDS RUN BELIGERENTLY BACK TO THE LUCKLESS PRODUCER. THE MOST GROTESQUE SPECTACLE OF ALL IS THE WAY VARIOUS GROUPS WILL CHARGE EACH OTHER WITH BEING HIGHBINDER'S, WHILE THE HOUSEWIFE THINKS THEY ARE ALL ROBBERS. THE FARMER CURSES THE MERCHANT; THE MERCHANT CURSES THE FARMER; AND THE CONSUMER CURSES THEM BOTH—WHEN HE IS PLAYING THE ROLE OF CONSUMER. IF HE ALSO PLAYS THE ROLE OF FAMILY BREADWINNER, HE, TOO, IS A ROBBER OF SOME SORT DURING OFFICE OR WORK HOURS. THIS APPARENTLY IS THE NORMAL BEHAVIOR OF A PEOPLE IN A LAND BEING VISITED BY INFLATION.

NO ONE EVER CURSES OUR ANNUAL FEDERAL DEFICIT OF TEENS OF BILLIONS WHEN HE LOOKS AT THE HIGH PRICE OF A DESIRED ARTICLE, BUT IT IS AT THE HEART OF OUR PROBLEMS. NOR, SO FAR AS IS ASCERTAINABLE, DOES ANYONE EVER RISE UP AND DAMN THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT FOR ITS SPENDTHRIFT WAYS WHEN HE IS HIT BETWEEN THE EYES WITH RISING PRICES.

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BITTING WRITES

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TIES OF THE AREA HAVE BEEN SCRATCHED ONLY DEEP ENOUGH TO REVEAL IT AS ONE OF THE LARGEST UNCLAIMED AREAS OF GREAT FERTILITY, THE FACT OF THE GLOBE.

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BITTING DISCUSSES THE MIRACLES WHICH APPLIED RESEARCH HAVE

PERFORMED IN TRANSFORMING THE EVERGLADES FROM A WILDERNESS TO AN AREA "WHOSE POTENTIALITIES ARE LIMITED ONLY BY THE IMAGINATION."

"WITH FULL DEVELOPMENT OF SUGAR PRODUCING POTENTIALITIES IN THE EVERGLADES, THIS NATION SHOULD NEVER AGAIN BE DEPENDED UPON FOR ITS BASIC COMMODITY. THIS SECURITY COULD BE OBTAINED BY UTILIZING PERHAPS NO MORE THAN 30 PER CENT OF THE GLADES LANDS AVAILABLE TO INTENSIVE AGRICULTURE," BITTING SAYS.

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## Social Happenings

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert D. Beck spent last week end in West Palm Beach at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beck.

Mrs. L. M. Hicks, Sr., returned to her home in Bradenton Friday after spending a week here with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hicks, Jr.

Mrs. E. Thomas of Port Clinton, Ohio, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ross Winnie and family of Chosen.

Mayor George A. Taylor left Saturday for a trip to Bradenton after spending the week end there with his parents, and attending the State Fair at Tampa.

Miss Anne Hill arrived last week from Tallahassee, where she is a student at the Florida State College for Women, to spend several days with her father, W. P. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Buck have arrived from Wilmington, N.C., to spend the balance of the season here.

Mrs. W. S. Jones is leaving Tuesday to visit Mrs. O. K. Jones at a sanatorium in Ashville, N. C., where she is a patient.

George Scarboro spent several days in Tampa this week on business.

Miss Mozelle Robertson and Mrs. Francis Dean have been afflicted by the critical illness of their mother in Savannah, Ga. Miss Robertson has left by plane to be with her.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ganias spent last week end in Pompano visiting friends.

### FUTCH-MORRIS

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Futch, Sr., of Nashville, Georgia, announced the engagement of their daughter, Alice to Marion Morris of Belle Glade, Fla. Marion attended the Nashville and Poplar Springs schools, graduating from Poplar Springs High School in the class of 1945. She came to Belle Glade in August. For the past few months she has been employed at Murphy's Pharmacy.

Mr. Morris is the son of Mrs. Billa Morris of Seneca, South Carolina. He received his discharge from the Army in October, 1945, and returned here where he resumed his position with the Agricultural Insecticide Company. At the present time no date has been set for the wedding.

### MRS. BECK WINNER OF FLOWER CONTEST

A miscellaneous bouquet contest was conducted at the meeting of the Garden Club Thursday afternoon, with Mrs. Herbert D. Beck taking first prize for her bouquet of dianthus pinkies, Mrs. H. O. Peter second for her mixed bouquet of garden flowers, and Mrs. Ivan VanHorn third for a bouquet of red nasturtiums. After the meeting the flowers were carried to the Migratory Labor hospital and given to the patients.

In the absence of their president, Mrs. Peters, vice president presided over the business session, during which time it was decided to postpone the planting of flowers at the highway entrances of the city until the beginning of the rainy season. The general discussion was held on local gardening problems. Mrs. Milton W. Geise was welcomed into the club as a new member.

Others present were Mrs. C. W. McDonald, Mrs. H. J. Harris, Mrs. J. F. Browne, and Mrs. Lorraine Warren.

### TEEL, CLASS HOLDS MONTHLY MEETING

The regular monthly business meeting of the T. E. L. class was held Monday night in the home of Mrs. Luther Jones.

After the business session, Miss Patti Ingram rendered a piano solo, "The Buzzing of the Bee."

The program presented by Mrs. J. W. Mosley was one in a series of studies of customs and religions of foreign countries before the birth of Christ.

Following the program, a social hour was enjoyed during which time a game was played and refreshments were served by the hosts.

Those present included Mrs. J. O. Darden, Mrs. Norman Hayslip, Mrs. J. D. Howington, Mrs. G. E. Strickland, Mrs. Dorothy Wright, Mrs. Hubert Tillery, Miss Alice Kerr, Mrs. Lillian Kerr, Mrs. R. W. White, C. T. Parker, Mrs. J. W. Mrs. H. O. Earwood, Mrs. J. W. Mosley, Mrs. I. E. Endow, Miss Patti Ingram and Mrs. H. J. Howington.

### RIEDEL-PARR NUPTIALS PERFORMED SATURDAY

Miss H. Jeanne Parr became the bride of William C. Riedel in an impressive double ring ceremony at the Memorial Free Presbyterian Church in West Palm Beach Saturday afternoon. The rites were read by the Rev. Ryan L. Wood in a beautiful setting of palms, white gladioli, and tuber roses.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother-in-law, Mr. G. W. Crows, wore a cream colored

crepe dress with draped skirt of street length with white accessories and carried a bouquet of tulips, roses, rose buds with a white orchid sprig.

Mr. G. W. Crows was matron of honor for her sister, and Mr. H. E. Riedel was his brother's best man.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the Rochambeau Restaurant in Palm Beach and the couple left immediately for a wedding trip to Miami.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Ethel A. Farr of Detroit, Michigan, and the late Fred A. Farr, prominent Michigan attorney. She was born in Sandusky, Michigan, and received her education in Detroit.

Mr. Riedel is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Riedel, pioneer.

He attended Florida Military Academy, and recently returned after serving for two years with the Army in the Pacific theater of war.

Guests were Mr. C. E. Riedel, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Riedel, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Redner, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Vining, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Scholes, Miss Jeanne Crews, all of Belle Glade, and Mrs. Ethel A. Farr of Detroit, Mrs. and Mrs. Albert L. Redner of Chicago, Mrs. E. C. Caron of West Palm Beach, and Mr. Ray Hoyland of Lake Worth.

### QUITTING PARTY AT HOOKER HOME

Mrs. W. R. Hooker entertained last Thursday afternoon at her home in Chosen with a quitting party.

Refreshments were served to the guests including Mrs. Mabel Stallard, Mrs. I. W. West, Mrs. E. L. Housley, Mrs. C. J. Schuck, and Mrs. N. T. Neilson.

### W.S.C. TO HAVE SILVER TEA WEDNESDAY

The annual silver tea will be given by the Women's Society of Christian Service at the home of Mrs. Walter Hooker.

### FOR SALE—30 passenger bus, 1946 Ford V-8 in excellent condition mechanically and tires. Price \$1,700. Phone 63-22-21

IF YOU NEED a sign painter, inquire Sherwin Williams Paint Store. We letter signs.

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### FOR SALE—Westinghouse electric range, house No. 2 Oscella Camp.

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### WANTED—Female typist and general office worker. Phone 80-W.

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### FOR SALE—Beautiful mahogany finish auto cruiser custom built house trailer. Wash.

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Cost \$2500. Will take \$1000.

Lester, the last trailer at Radar's Camp Trailer Space, Belle Glade.

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### FOR SALE—Poland China male hog. James Burke, Chosen.

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### FOR SALE—Simmons daybed without mattress. \$7.50. First house on S. E. 1st St. Holloway's Subdivision.

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### WANTED—More houses for sale in Belle Glade territory. C. A. Bailey.

2-22-21\*

### WANTED—Two good insurance salesmen between 21 and 35 to work debts at Belle Glade, Pahokee or Clewiston.

Must have car. Phone 515, C. A. Bachelor, or write Box A, Pahokee.

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### FOR SALE—Three year old Guernsey cow with nice heifer calf, \$125 cash. See Mrs. M. J. Hardy at South Bay.

2-15-21\*

### FOR SALE—Two choice lots in colored town on Avenue "E."

Inquire at Herald Office, phone 123.

2-15-21\*

### FOR SALE—16 ft. house trailer with built in Simmons mattress. See Bob Dadson at Airport on phone 282-215-21\*

FOR SALE—3 h.p. Briggs & Stratton; like new. Austin motor conversion for boat. Rebuilt 32-in. Colter for 40 plow.

Also 32-in. Johnson Seashore outboard Motor, reconditioned. Charles Tryon, Box 656, Belle Glade, Fla.

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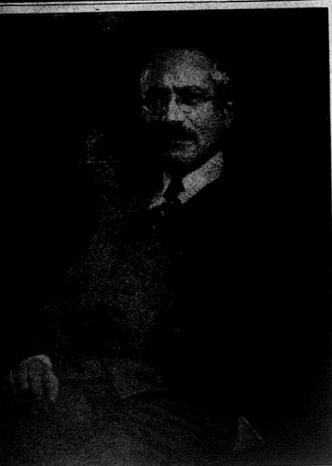
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### Discoverer Of Streptomycin, Wonder Drug, Visits The Glades

Dr. Selman A. Waksman of New York University, accompanied by his wife, returned to the Belle Glade with Dr. Allison after making the principal address at the State Soil Science Society's annual meeting at Gainesville.

A visitor to the meeting at Gainesville from Alabama made the trip in company with Dr. Waksman for the bit of his little daughter. Local Birmingham medicines had given up hope and she was running a fever of better than 106. A neighbor noticing an article about streptomycin in a magazine called it to the attention of the distraught parents. The girl, after taking Dr. Waksman, talked to a doctor in Philadelphia who had successfully used the new medicine and the Merck Laboratories arranged to get a bit of the medicine to Birmingham. The medicine was administered by the local doctor necessary to its strength. The Philadelphia physician said today the little girl is well and happy. Some urinary infection was the diagnosis of the little girl's trouble. Dr. Waksman has returned

to his native haunts of Rutgers University but Mrs. Waksman will remain in the Glades as the guest of the Allisons for a few days.

The Waksmans are potential citizens of the Glades with its imitable climate and nearness to the wintertime playgrounds of the world.

#### New Parking Lot

The vacant lot at the rear of the Fearn's hotel, owned by Judge George Tedder, will be graded and rocked and will be open as a car parking lot.

#### New Highways In Use

Work has been progressing in the new highway on the cross country farm road leading from the Bolles canal at Okeelanta eastward. While not completed it is now passable as some has been graded and rocked. It is now partially serving some 9,000 acres of rich croplands. The road is about two miles long.

The Duda farm road, which was constructed by that firm at its own costs, and reaches north from the farm to Road 25 east of Belle Glade, is also proving a fine outlet in trucking the products from that modern farm.

#### Elliott Has No Opposition

In Elliott, of Pahokee, who served his first term in the State Legislature last year, will have no opposition for a second term, as no opponent filed against him, according to report from Tallahassee. "B" is the Glades member of the Palm Beach county delegation in the legislature.

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**WELLS AND LYONS**  
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street, but were sold out with property owners in the Holloway addition over reservations. The architects estimate for the cost of the hotel is \$200,000.

The plans as drawn by W. E. Brown, architect, call for an ultra modern fire and hurricane proof structure, equipped with a private set back from the highway. The structure will be 193 and 55 feet in dimension, the narrow, or length of the building facing westward, and from side drives.

The plans call for a lobby 19 by 37 feet, a dining room with a seating capacity of 100 guests, kitchen, laundries, private offices, and a front porch 8 by 37 feet in front.

The second and third floors will be used for guest rooms. Hallways will run down the two upper floors, and arranged on each side will be 61 guest rooms 12 by 18 feet in dimension, all including a bathroom being corner rooms, with plenty of light and air. The entire building will have the latest in lighting, air and heating facilities, carpeted floors, etc.

Messrs. Lyons and Wells, if able to adjust their business affairs, plan to start work on the project as soon as the time of completing the new hotel fits in for next fall season. They have not yet decided whether the work will be a contract job, or done under their own supervision by day workers.

It is also reported that Mr. Wells is engaged in negotiations with the Miami E street now occupied by a service station, by erecting a building for a modern restaurant and apartment building.

#### G. I. UNIVERSITY

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as expert aid as is available anywhere, prescribes a list of studies, some optional, some required, and a greater majority of work to be done by the student. The Veterans Administration will, after okaying the plan, feel confident that veterans are receiving substantial advantage in the chosen trade or profession, and the veteran will be guided advantageously financially and otherwise.

"P" is the acronym for the Gladesans on a University campus; technical and professional men of outstanding abilities are here or in nearby communities, and an outstanding job may be accomplished."

The plan was unanimously adopted and the entire Committee asked to develop and discuss the plans further for a detailed meeting in the near future.

It is estimated that there are several hundred veterans in the community who will be benefited by such a plan, some of whom now are not acquainted with the need of accomplishing the desired results.

The Veterans Service Committee is headed by Prof. H. L. Speer, Red Mount's assistant, Luther Jones and John Pieker, as members of the County-wide Committee, George Mead and J. S. Chastain of the Pahokee Legion post, the Veterans' representative, Palmetto and Belle Glade, Prof. J. R. Davidson, Mike Murphy and a member to be chosen from South Bay or Lake Harbor. Herb Beck and Thad Whidden are legal advisors of the Committee, and the Red Cross and Employment Service representatives are members.

#### FARMERS

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night to discuss the new contract calls for a definite weekly wage rate, regardless of the size or increasing condition of or whether or not the field laborers work. Another feature omitted is the "Act of God" clause, but one which makes the employees liable for full wage payments, even if flood, wind or other disaster wiped out the crop.

A check shows that out of the 15,000 negro farm workers now employed in the Glades, 500 of them are of the imported type, working mostly on specialty jobs, either by prevailing wage rate, piece work or by day work.

#### Jerry Edwards Celebrates Birthday

Mrs. Grady Edwards entertained her son Jerry Tuesday afternoon with a party honoring his fifth birthday.

Games were enjoyed by the children and prizes were awarded to Mrs. Burns and Paul Davidson.

Food, refreshments, the honoree, and refreshments were served, along with favors.

Those in attendance were Mary Ann Tillery, Steve and Bill Weeks, Sharon B. Sadler, and

Donna Mae and Sonny Armstrong, Dorothy and Sarah Burns, Letty and Eddie Burns, Harold Royal, Jr., Frances Fontaine, Esther and Fredy Greer, Martha Faye and Paul Davidson, and Joe Ann Tedder, who assisted in entertaining.

#### George Goforth Feted On Ninth Birthday

George Goforth, Jr., was entertained with a party celebrating his ninth birthday Saturday afternoon at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Goforth. Games were played; prizes were awarded to Robert Earnest and Ronald Jones. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Goforth, assisted by Mrs. Vernon Jones, Mrs. Ben Earnest, and Miss Alice Neal, Earnest.

The guest list included Renee Mills, Martha Gay Fleming, Barbara Gruber, Jackie Mosley, Betty Andrews, Kathryn Webster, Carol Goloforth, Richard Townsend, Ronnie Berry, Charles Bamford, Franklin Jones, Bill Cook, Paul Davidson, Bobby Andrews, Hilton and George Goforth.

#### SUGAR CORPORATION

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less than one percent per month during the next five years, if the employee for any reason should sever his connection with the United States Sugar Corporation in that period and desire to sell.

Purpose of the plan, Clarence R. Bitting, president of the corporation explained, is to provide employees with the financial assurance that their investment will be safeguarded and thus assist them to combat the housing shortage by building their own homes.

The plan is available to those employees who have, to date, received \$250 or more per month and are recommended by their supervisor. Valuation of the property should not exceed 25 times the individual's monthly salary.

The Clewiston Realty Corporation will take no part in arranging for construction, or providing any guarantee to the owner against financial loss. To secure the agreement, the owner will submit his plans and cost estimates to the Realty Corporation.

The owner need not sell his home to the Clewiston Realty Corporation but he can do so if he would make his return to that company within 30 days after severing his connection with the United States Sugar Corporation, and the Realty Corporation will then have 60 days in which to complete the purchase of the home.

It is hoped that the plan will be instrumental in removing any doubts in employees' minds about the future and thereby encourage them to build their own homes now, Bitting said.

#### New Building Occupants

R. M. Hendry, Jr., who operates a market stand with his wife in the new building on Northwest Second street is ready for occupancy, one unit will be used by himself, and the other unit by Frank Whitehurst, of Miami, who will open a wholesale drug business.

Mr. Hendry himself will engage the electric refrigerator business—including home and factory freezing units. There are four apartments on the second floor. He will continue his market in his present location.

#### Commission Session Brief

The city commission was split two members Wednesday night, so little business was transacted. Building permits were granted to L. Shuler for a \$3,000 dwelling in the new Sunset allotment and a permit for a \$3,500 home in the Walker-Evans addition, to Lester Clark.

#### Now Employed Here

W. D. Larimore, former postmaster at Pahokee, and who did his bit in the late conflict, has returned to Pahokee, and has accepted employment with the Belle Glade branch of the Kilgore Seed Company.

#### First Carrot Shipment

The first shipment of carrots from the Borchardt farms were shipped this week, and the harvest season will now be pushed. The roots are very fine in size and flavor according to marketmen.

For the benefit of the Belle Glade Calvary Church fund, a dance will be held at the City Hall Saturday night, March 2. An orchestra composed of "Pop" Lord, "Little Doe" Van Landingham, and Neal dePampolis will furnish the music.



Polly Jenkins and her musical pals, well known radio, vaudeville and screen performers, will be here Wednesday evening. The senior class is sponsoring this show and will receive a percentage of the receipts for the benefit of their school.

This troupe covers all classes

of songs from hill-billy and western to popular and classical selections. Polly Jenkins plays the piano and accordion and sings, and the others in the show, the finest yodeling voice and plays a bass viol twice her own size. Uncle Dad, musician and humorist, with a back ground of 40 years of show work, supplies the comedy.

#### Buys A Home Here

Owner Godwin, who has been residing in Lakeland, where he was engaged in business, has come to Belle Glade to reside, and has purchased the Charles F. Johnson home. Mr. Godwin is planning on building a number of refreshments and hot dog stands along the highways in this section, and it is reported already has a number of sites picked out for tentative stands.

#### ENJOY PILAU

Residents of Bean City enjoyed a chicken pilau at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hall Thursday evening. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Hovas Prevatt and family, Mrs. Carrie Howell and Jeanette of Clewiston; Mr. and Mrs. P. Pratte and family; Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Harrell and family; Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Dasher and family; Mr. and Mrs. John L. Evans; Aubrey, Purvis and Jimmie McAllister; Mr. and Mrs. Willie Frank Martin and son; Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Partain and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. C. A.

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**WILL EXTEND EFFORTS**

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of Belle Glade, as from results gained from private surveys there is no longer doubt but what the majority of the citizens are in favor of the city commission proceeding with legislation leading up to the establishment of a city charter. Representatives of the Chamber and civic clubs will present a recommendation to the Commission soon, asking that it proceed to that important piece of business.

The next annual meeting of the membership of the Chamber of Commerce will be held the first meeting night in March at the city auditorium, at which time four directors will be elected. The terms of Howard

Hayes, Judge George Tedder, Rev. J. O. Jameson and C. E. Reid expire at that time. The object of the meeting will be to elect their successors, and also for the membership to hear of work done by the Chamber during the past year.

The last stages of preparation for the Publication Book, the first in four years, to be used for distribution purposes in promotion for the area, are now being made, and such work will be ready within a comparatively short time.

The special committee named to investigate drainage for the lands north of the new highway, made an important report, setting forth what would be required to properly drain the region. To assist the chamber in this drainage District No. 1, State Highway Department and the property owners, it was believed that a plan of solving the knotty situation would soon be forthcoming. The Chamber also directed the secretary to write a letter to the Everglades Drainage District Board, in regard to rights of way.

The special committee on new road projects was not yet ready to report on definite plans, but will make such a report within a short time. Plans are working out quite satisfactory as far as they have been pursued.

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**The Belle Glade Herald**

Biltmore and Whitehall, and associates hotels, during the week of January 13-18. Roy Seeger, and his committee, in cooperation with the Johnson brothers, will plan to make this an outstanding gathering of the 54 which the Association had held.

It is not now the plan to make the event solely a Palm Beach venture, but an all-Florida one, as many of the Chambers of Commerce, kindred organizations, and the State Administration offered to join in on the program, to make it a convention those northern snow bird distributors will never forget and point to with pleasure.

Now that the invitation has been accepted, Seeger's work

associations, foundations,

and the Johnson interests

will handle the publicity and entertainment programs.

New York state potato growers,

from which section some

of the seed potatoes planted in

Glades come, had great success this season, by planting PDT, a new variety

coming down well production, and

also killing potato dams, bugs, worms and insects and

soil fungus. Its use helped to

produce a superior type of potato,

less blemish, and increased

the production as much as 50

bushels in an acre. Wonder of our

potato growers will adopt this

method.

"Hail" Parsons, who ramrods

affairs at the Broward Iron

Company's plant, has just re-

turned home from a business

trip in North Florida, where

he operates a large farm. This

year he is trying his first crop

of melons, 25 acres. He

reports that farm crops in the

north portion of the state are

looking fine, if frosts do not

get them in the fore.

There has been a heavy demand

for potatoes, but the market

supply from Washington show

that the Texas and Florida

season just closed will show a

decrease of melon bushels

over the 1944-45 record crop.

Florida's estimate of produc-

tion is 10 per cent off.

As some of the farms are just

getting started, it is too early

to make any indications

that the season will be long

drawn out. All the crops now

up are looking in fine condition.

The invitation of the Glades

Branch of the National Vegetable

and Fruit Distributor's Association

extended to the National Advertising Committee

last week, was accepted by a

unanimous approval of that

body. This convention will be

held in Palm Beach at the

FISHERMEN

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that the blow would be

over shortly.

They tied the boat more se-

curely and lashed the "kicker"

to the beacon framework. In a

moment the two men were

drifting over them, their

boats floated away, their can

of gas was bobbing merrily away

in the distance and soon the

boat broke away and was gone.

Then they spent the long

night and watched the lights

of the ear that came out to

water in the darkness of

them as it came to their

car and again as it returned

homeward, and yelled themselves hoarse trying to tell their friends where they were—to no avail.

The next day when it became

known that they had gone

out on the lake and not re-

turned, the family finally

drove up and down the lake

shore hoping they had landed

somewhere.

About noon L. E. Aspey on

the north end of Kreamer, noticing

their parked car, learning

they were missing and also

that the light beacon

was the only safe refuge at

that end of the lake. He ran

post haste to Belle Glade and

called Dadson's, the commer-

cial dusters, telling them

that two men had been miss-

ing all night and requesting

that they search the lake for

them. They responded suggesting that they first try the light beacon.

Mr. Dadson responded at

once and flew out over the lake.

He was back shortly with the

news that they were on the

beacon. J. D. Grant of Lake

Harbor also flew out searching.

Ted Tamm of Lake Alton

had been anxiously watch-

ing the search from the air and

knew from the circling planes

that they had been found, man-

ned a row boat and successfully

made two trips bringing in one

man at each trip, the lake hav-

ing caused some trouble.

The men were in good spirits

but suffering somewhat from

long exposure to water, wind

and sun. They saved the out-

board motor but lost their boat,

and fishing tackle. The wind

tide registered up to 19 feet

during the night at the hur-

ricane peak.

Other fishermen knowing the

ways of the lake, pulled to land

and safety but only after some

hard work.

**Local Men In Soil Society**

The annual meeting of the Florida Soil Science Association was held at the University of Gainesville last week end, and Dr. C. E. Allison, president of the association, presided. Dr. R. V. Allison, Dr. Mrs. Roy Bair, F. D. Stevens, C. C. Seal, T. C. Irwin and Dr. W. Y. Forsee.

The society elected the following officers: President, Dr. Herman Gunter, Tallahassee; Vice-President, Herbert Lester Clevison, see previous item; Luther Jones was also made chairman of the resolutions committee of the society.

**Navy Boys Get Together**

John Daniels, of the Fears hotel, while visiting with R. E. Newton, of Miami, a guest Saturday night, discovered that they served on the same navy ship during World War I, and both men had served in the late conflict. It was well toward morning before their navy confab ended.

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might be good money in it. Air  
plane operators might also es-  
tablish air rides over the re-  
gion, showing the big lake and  
the lay of our farming lands.  
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the Glades region either way.

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common serving on the restau-  
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property, in the way of new  
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other improvements, which  
means more tonnage and  
more freight traffic. The only large  
piece of railway construction  
now going on in the nation, is  
by this company, on its short  
cut from the Lake Okeechobee  
region to Ft. Pierce, which is  
going to mean millions to the  
Glades region in the years to  
come. It gives the railroad a  
much faster rate on communi-  
ties, and will be a strong bid-  
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Quartette singing, special numbers, and congregational singing of old and new songs that everyone loves will be featured. Come one, come all, and enjoy this afternoon of wonderful singing and fellowshiping one with the other.

Signed:

C. M. GIDDENS, Sec. & Treas.  
Big Lake Singing Convention

### SOUTH BAY BEAN CITY LAKE HARBOR

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Roundtree announce the birth of a son, Edward Dew, at the Good Samaritan Hospital in West Palm Beach on Friday, February 18.

John Sayrs and Russell Hutchison of Perryopolis, Pennsylvania, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. John Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Donaldson last week.

Mrs. G. W. Baldwin of Belle Glade visited Mrs. H. L. Marlowe, Jr., and Mrs. V. N. Greer the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lockmiller of Clovis, N. M., are spending the week with his brother, Marion Lockmiller and family. They visited the Glades some six years ago.

Cpl. Carl Keene has returned from China after four years' service in the Army has received his discharge and is visiting his mother, Mrs. Anna Keene at Orlando.

Coxwain Charles Clifford

Allen is home on a 15 day leave and visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Allen. He has just returned from sea duty in the Pacific.

Miss Irene Frank is a patient at the North Hospital in Miami following a major operation for cancer of the breast and reported doing as well as can be expected.

Miss Maxine Walker of Miami visited her mother, Mrs. Edna Walker on Saturday, Feb. 18, to Miami with Mr. Sam Henderson, who was going down to Miami for a few days with Mrs. J. E. Henderson.

Captain J. E. Goodbread of McDill Field and Howell Goodbread, S-1-e, stationed at Miami, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Goodbread.

H. L. Marlowe, Sr., and son, Herbert L. Marlowe, Jr., have returned from a business trip to Miami.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lovell and children, Lemar and Norma Jean, enjoyed an outing at Lake Okeechobee Sunday.

Mrs. Signe Burney is recovering from an operation at her by Dr. Sayad at St. Mary's Hospital by means of which her hearing in that ear has been restored.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rawle and A. L. Thorman have returned to their home at Charleston, S. C., after a two weeks visit and outdoor camping at Fisheating Creek.

Rev. James Purcell, who is on a vacation in Miami for his health, conducted services at the South Bay Baptist Church Sunday. His regular charge is in Tennessee near Chattanooga.

Harold Hardy is home on leave from the U. S. Navy and visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Hardy. He has been stationed in the South Pacific for several years and still has several months to serve.

H. C. Willits is having cement steps built to the rear door of his home and to the apartment adjoining.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Cromar and sons, Bill and Jack, returned the first of the week from Orlando where they visited Mrs. Josephine LaGette, Mrs. Cromar's mother. Miss Alice Cromar, a sophomore at Florida State College for Women

met them there for the week end.

Monroe Creech, brother of Mrs. Malcolm Thames, of Lake Harbor, visited his sister and family in Belle Glade. He recently returned from overseas service in the Pacific and Japan. He is from Leakesville, Miss.

The school picture show Friday evening will be "Zenobia," the story of a trained elephant. The pictures are put on each Friday night as a means of bringing the good clean entertainment of the school children of the area.

Those who wish to avail themselves of the opportunity to help the school and be entertained at the same time.

W. L. Cunningham of Belle Glade submitted to a major operation at the hospital in Tampa last week and will be two weeks in the hospital recuperating from the surgery.

### Progress On Building

The building for the Terminal South Florida Restaurant and Soda Fountain being erected by Roy Boots and Mrs. Mallie Fay Walker at the junction of Roads 25 and 26 at South Bay, is going up rapidly. It will consist of concrete blocks and reinforced steel. The side walls are up and the roof is being put on with finishing still to do. When completed it will be equipped with the latest electrical kitchen and fountain devices and a thoroughly modern eating place will be opened to the public.

### Another New Building

W. G. Bowen and H. B. Walker are putting up a filling station on the east side of Highway No. 26 just south of the junction of State Road 25 and the County Road with Road 26. Piling for the structure has been started and construction will proceed as rapidly as possible. O'Neal Walker, recently returned from overseas service in the European Theater, will operate the station, selling Texaco products.

### Floyds Sell Station

The Floyd Filling Station at South Bay has been purchased by A. L. Burkett and his son and will be operated by the two men. A full line of accessories will be carried in addition to gasoline, oil and grease. The family came here from Lake Harbor, having come from Georgia not long ago. They consisted of Mr. Burkett, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Burkett, Jr., and son Robert.

### Installs Chairs

Ralph Stalion, who has been in business for the last 15 years at Lake Harbor, thinks he has at last hit on a scheme to retain his easy chairs which he has always provided for the public.

The store box whittlers always have a favorite place to ply their trade and it seems Ralph's has been that place in Lake Harbor. During this time many of his chairs have been literally whittled away and had to be replaced. He has used pointed cedar wood and supplied the invertebrate whittlers with this aromatic soft wood on which to sharpen their running with the knife but to no avail. The chairs kept on disintegrating before his eyes. Wood has become so difficult to get the last few years that he had had

### LEGAL NOTICES

**CALL FOR BIDS**  
Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Control of Florida East Coast Railway, at its office in Miami, Florida, at eleven o'clock A.M., March 1, 1946, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud for the purpose of awarding and constructing a Ramie Laboratory Building and a Ramie Laboratory Station, near Belle Glade, in Palm Beach County, Florida. Any bid received after the specified time and date will not be opened or considered.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certificate, made payable to "Board of Control, State of Florida," as a condition precedent to the contract the bidder will immediately furnish the Board of Control with a Surety Bond in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the bid. The check or bill for the erection of the Laboratory must be in the name of the bidder.

All work shall be done in accordance with the plans and specifications, which deposit will be paid to the architect for the construction of the Laboratory.

Plans and specifications are available at the office of the Board of Control, State of Florida, near Belle Glade, at the office of the Board of Control of the Florida East Coast Railway.

The Board of Control reserves the right to waive technicalities and anomalies in any bid or bids received.

The bidder's qualifications must be satisfactory to the Board of Control.

BOARD OF CONTROL STATE OF FLORIDA  
By: J. Thomas Gurney,  
Attest: Diamond,  
Secretary  
Publ: Feb. 12, 1946

trouble keeping up his quota of chairs so at last in desperation he has installed steel benches in their place. He thinks he has them bettered at long last; but has he?

### New South Bay Farms

Several new homes are being erected in South Bay either immediately or in the near future.

Henderson Brothers, comprised of Sam E. and John Ervin Henderson, two local boys, are opening a sand and rock business. This fills a long felt need as the lack of building materials has been a serious problem here. The boys have purchased a 10-wheel truck with a 5-yard capacity for delivery of materials. To date the materials have been used as fast as they can be hauled. A little later a rock pile will be built up for rapid delivery.

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## School News

By Betty Lou Powell

### Dr. Drucker Speaks to Students

During assembly period Friday, the Rev. Raymond B. Drucker spoke to students on the subject of education. Guests who accompanied the speaker were the Rev. Jay O. Jameson, Rev. Walter Cross, and Rev. and Mrs. L. E. Enlow.

Letters were awarded to last year's basketball team by Miss Kathryn Laverty. The award winners were: Louise Friedheim, Imagene Hester, Dorothy Layfield, Eleanor Miller, Martha Parker, and Martha Ratley. Forwards were Peggy Rawls, Dorothy Walker, Claudine Chambers, and Carafay Stacey.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wierengo's 1st grade room held their Valentine party Thursday afternoon. Candy was served and Valentine cards exchanged. They sang songs and had folk dances. Louis Friedheim received a prize for the greatest improvement in writing and making sentences. Shelly Jean Clements was awarded the prize for making the best Valentine. Those who received prizes for

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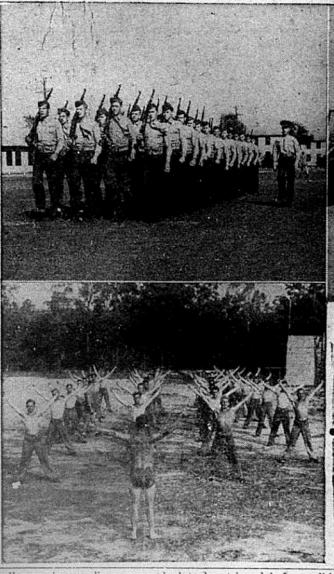
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and Martha Ratley. Forwards were Peggy Rawls, Dorothy Walker, Claudine Chambers, and Carafay Stacey.

Last week the cheer leaders were awarded letters along with the football boys. They were Carlene Cane, Louise Friedheim, Peggy Rawls, and Charlotte Eadow.

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## Active Marine Corps Reserve Units Authorized



U. S. Marine Corps Photos

Post-war activities of the United States Marine Corps involve active peace-time reserve of civilians comprising ready and standing units. These units are assigned to units nearest their homes and attend weekly drill (top left). Active duty training in the field, strength, physical fitness (lower left), and includes 15 days of active duty each year. Men may enroll in the Marine Corps educational program, demanded by a man's desire for education. Information concerning the location of the Ordnance Reserve units and other complete details will be made known shortly. It has been announced by Marine Corps Headquarters.

excellency in reading were: Dorma Huff, Alma Ann McClure, and Elizabeth Gibbs. The following were given prizes for being good workers: Elizabeth Gibbs, Ned Elsherry, Charles Royal, Kenneth Novis, Alma Ann McClure, Yvonne Prevatt, Carline Boatwright, Shelly Jean Clements and Louis Friedheim.

### Valentine Parties

The Q. M. E. C. ninth grade English club had a Valentine party on Monday evening. Thursday, Valentines were exchanged and a program presented by Maxine Schulz, program chairman. Refreshments were served by a committee composed of Billy Joe Leathers, Joanne Livingston, and Martha Parker.

The Valentine party was done by one man, working on a beam's chair, painting from the top down to the bottom, the paint being lowered in buckets from the top of the chimney. The structure was completed by the installation of four five-foot sections, each with two cables extending down to support the chimney to protect the structure from electrical storms.

Mrs. Irice Dickenson's fifth grade had ice cream served at their Valentine party and exchanged Valentines. Their beautifully decorated box was made by Mary Frances Wynn.

Mrs. Huff's fifth grade room exchanged Valentines from a box made by Joanne Lanier. Elaine McCabe served as postmaster with Diane TeStrake and Beverly Phelan as assistants. Ice cream was served to the pupils following the exchange.

At the Valentine party of the sixth grade Thursday afternoon, ice cream and cookies were served by room mothers, Mrs. Burry and Mrs. Kitchfield. The Valentine box was made by Betty Jean Harris, Jean Carl, Beverly Parson, Janette Lee, Fevere, and Jackie Royal.

### Complete Huge Stack At New Sugar Plant

Weber Chimney Company of Chicago, Ill., has completed the 196 foot 6 inch chimney for the power house to the Sugar Mill for the Okeloaan Development Company. Work was begun December 30 and the chimney finished ready for painting February 8.

E. L. Baker of Great Forks, N. D., was construction engineer in charge and assisted by a trained crew consisting of his brother, his son, and several others who have comprised his crew for many years. E. L. Baker and his crew have built Weber chimneys in many of the states of the United States and in Hawaii. Weber chimneys built in Tokyo in the early 30's are reported all standing in spite of the continued bombing of the city during the war. Some of these chimneys are the largest in the world up to 600 feet in height.

The chimney at Okeloaan is of reinforced concrete with an octagonal base and a round shaft. The diameter at the base is 10 feet 6 inches and at the top is 8 feet 6 inches. The chimney is 196 feet 6 inches high and has a play of several inches sway in the wind. The wall is 12 inches thick and an air space extends 70 feet above ground.

Some little difficulty was experienced at the start of construction in securing a firm bedrock for the foundation. Rock layers immediately below the surface were found to be too soft and layer after layer of rock and shell

had to be stripped before solid rock was reached some 26 feet below the surface. A stream of running water which almost inundated the site when the river was struck between two relatively soft layers of rock. This had to be blocked off by solid cement as water from the underground springs kept bubbling up to hinder construction until five feet of solid cement finally sealed it off.

The construction of the base has been completed and the shaft started, construction moved faster. At the beginning five feet of completed shaft was a good day's work. As the chimney grew and began to taper the work progressed at the rate of 10 feet per day.

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### Praises Florida Growers

New York, Feb. 21 (FNS)—Continued evidence that America's pioneers acquired a bonanza when they purchased Florida for \$75,000,000, was offered by the state's tourist, who last year turned out produce valued at approximately \$225,000,000.

This one industry alone gave a return on the original investment at the rate of 65 to 1. This was pointed out by Harry A. Bush, head of A. & P. stores, who also stated that A. & P. stores organization purchased \$30,000,000 worth of Florida food products in 1945, mostly fresh fruit and vegetables.

Praising Florida growers for their mass-production efficiency, Bush said: "The record improvement shown in the quality of citrus pack and the steady improvement in vegetables packaging, all of which is helping materially to increase the market for Florida products.

### Given High Honor

Winter Park, Feb. 21 (FNS)—Mrs. Alfred O. Kay, Palm Beach botanist and leader in conservation work, has been elected a member of the executive committee of the Florida Audubon Society to fill the unexpired term of the late Judge T. S. Warlow, according to Dr. A. J. Hanna, president of the society.

Mrs. Kay, a life member of the Florida Audubon Society, edited with her husband in 1933 Henry Nehrling's "Plant World in Florida" and maintains botanical experimental farms in Florida. She will attend the annual meeting of the Florida Audubon Society to be held in the Anna Russell Theater March 2.

### Fighting For Florida

Tallahassee, Feb. 21 (FNS)—Jerry W. Carter, member of the Florida Railroad Commission, filed suit against the state attorney general, seeking dissolution of a recent

### State Head Of Auxiliary Fed

The Belle Glade American Legion Auxiliary were guests of the Pahokee Auxiliary Tuesday evening in a joint meeting held at the Pahokee Lions club.

The meeting was opened with the advancing of the colors by the Samson Guards.

Mrs. Edna Fickett, of Pahokee, Mrs. Bryant McLendon, of Belle Glade.

Mrs. Otto Bleech, president of the Pahokee unit, introduced the speakers of the evening, Mrs. J. Kirkpatrick of Eustis, department president, and Mrs. A. R. Ryan of Dania, fifth district president.

The Pahokee unit presented each guest with a corsage of chrysanthemums, and members of the Belle Glade Auxiliary and Pahokee Auxiliary presented the speakers with gifts.

The speakers discussed Auxiliaries and their work and the need for new members.

The membership goal for this year is 10,000, which is fast being achieved.

It was announced that the district conference will meet in

Ft. Lauderdale April 6th and 7th, at which time fifth district officers will be elected. The Department Conference will be held in West Palm Beach on May 15, 16, 17 and 18.

Those in attendance from Belle Glade were: Mrs. John Hawkin, Mrs. J. B. Jones, Mrs. M. H. Howington (visitor), Mrs. Luther Jones, Mrs. Ralph Freeman, Mrs. George Tedder, Mrs. Herbert Beck, Mrs. Edwin Cross, Mrs. E. Will, Mrs. E. Ringo, Mrs. Bryant McLendon and Mrs. M. D. Conrath, visitor.

The next regular meeting of the Belle Glade unit will be held March 11, in the home of Mrs. R. L. Ringo, president.

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For Three-Year-Olds . . . One Mile and a Furlong

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### Parade of the Flamingos

The parade of Hialeah's 500 Flamingos is a colorful and thrilling spectacle.

### THE OLD JUDGE SAYS . . .



"HENRY: I've heard that same thing says lately . . . that alcoholics are real people. It was new to me. Do you agree with that statement, Judge?"

"OLD JUDGE: Yes, it's true, Henry. It's no notion of mine. In a statement made by someone who have studied the subject."

"HENRY: What did they find out, Judge?"

"OLD JUDGE: Well, as a result of their medical research, they found out that approximately 95% of the people who drink, drink sensibly. 5% do so unwisely, at times."

Included in that 5% is the small percentage known as alcoholics."

"HENRY: But why are they called sick people?"

"OLD JUDGE: Because it has been discovered that, in many cases, excessive drinking is a symptom of some physical or emotional condition, . . . and that is the cause of it."

"HENRY: Now I understand, Judge. I am glad to hear of the modern approach to this problem and that so much is really being done to help these folks."